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" (*b*) A major scheme for extension of supply of electricity to several villages including Paidimukkala is under scrutiny by the Government Electricity Department. The President, Panchayat Board, Paidimukkala, has been informed of the position."

SRI M. LAKSHMANASWAMY :—" ఈ పైడిముక్కల అనే గ్రామం ఇప్పుడు **electricity** ఉన్న మంటాడ అనే గ్రామానికి సుమారు నాలుగు మైళ్ల దూరంలో ఉన్నది. మీరు చెప్పిన పెద్ద స్కీమును అమలుపఱచేందుకు ప్రభుత్వం సిద్ధంకాకపోతే కొద్ది డబ్బులతో పూర్తిఅయి 23% పైగా ఆదావచ్చే యీ స్కీమును వేరుగా పరిశీలిస్తారా? దీన్ని పూర్తిచేయడానికి ప్రభుత్వం ప్రయత్నంచేస్తుందా? "

THE HON. SRI N. RANGA REDDI :—" I can only tell the hon. Member that the scheme under contemplation costs about Rs. 21·21 lakhs. If he wants the scheme to connect Paidimukkala to be investigated separately, I have no answer to give at present."

Assignment of lands in Pedamushidivada in Visakhapatnam taluk.

* 386 *Q.*—SRI M. VEERABHADRAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Land Revenue be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any representation has recently been received by the Government from the Harijans of Pedamushidivada village in Visakhapatnam taluk regarding the assignment of Banjar lands to them; and

(*b*) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" (*a*) The answer is in the negative.

" (*b*) Does not arise."

SRI M. VEERABHADRAM :—" వీరి దగ్గరనుంచి ఏ ఏ **representation** రాలేదని మంత్రిగారు చెప్పుతున్నారు ? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Yes, Sir, that is right. The hon. Member has understood me correctly."

Export of handloom cloth.

* 389 *Q.*—SRI C. SUBBARAYUDU (on behalf of Sri Pragada Kotaiah) : Will the Hon, the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state the action taken by the Government regarding the decision taken by the Handloom High Power Committee, that officials with expert knowledge of the trade in handloom cloth should be sent to foreign countries like Burma, Ceylon, West Africa and Malaya, etc., to develop the export trade in handloom cloth of specified varieties woven in the State?

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" This House is no doubt aware of the views of this Government, that they are